

11 10. (Twice Amended) A system for metering permit mail, [wherein a portion of the pre-printed information is printed with a phosphorescent ink and the remaining portion of the pre-printed information is printed with a non-luminescent ink,] said system comprising:

means for pre-printing ^{ing} information on a mail piece to produce a postal indicia;
means for printing variable payment information within the postal indicia or within
the vicinity of the postal indicia information is printed with a phosphorescent
ink and the remaining portion of the pre-printed information is printed with a non-
luminescent ink.

12 11. (Twice Amended) A system for metering permit mail, [wherein a portion of the variable information is printed with a fluorescent ink and the remaining portion of the variable information is printed with a non-luminescent ink,] said system comprising:

means for pre-printing information on a mail piece to produce a postal indicia;
means for printing variable payment information with the postal indicia or within
the vicinity of the postal indicia Variable information is printed with a
fluorescent ink and the remaining portion of the pre-printed information is printed with a non-
luminescent ink.

13 12. (Twice Amended) A system for metering permit mail, wherein a portion of the variable information is printed with a phosphorescent ink and the remaining portion of the variable information is printed with a non-luminescent ink, wherein a
portion of the pre-printed fluorescent ink and the remaining portion of the pre-printed
information is printed with a non-luminescent ink.